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- 11. (U) In a September 11 letter, Minister of Forestry and Wildlife Elvis Ngolle Ngolle responded to A/S McMurray's invitation (ref A) asking Cameroon to join the Coalition against Wildlife Trafficking (CAWT). The letter declared the Ministry's interest in participating in CAWT, stating that CAWT "will contribute to strengthen our local efforts against wildlife trafficking."
- 12. (U) Post will follow up by email with OES/ETC to obtain guidance for the Government of Cameroon on next steps in joining the Coalition.

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